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For: SELF-ALIGNED BURIED CONTACT PAIR AND METHOD OF FORMING THE SAME

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

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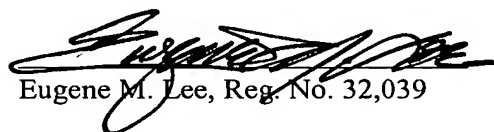
In response to the Office Action dated May 17, 2005, applicants hereby elect the claims of Group II, claims 4-11, 17-31 and 35-45, for prosecution in the subject application.

Applicants, of course, reserve the right to file a divisional application covering the subject matter of the non-elected claims.

Receipt of the initial Office Action on the merits is awaited.

Respectfully submitted,

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